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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS. -The chancery court adjourns to-day. -Yesterday was bright and pleasant.

—Last night the weather was delightful, and the moon shone brightly. —The police yesterday arrested George Fisher, colored, for careless driving. -There was a fire alarm in the southeastern part of the city at ten minutes to three clock this morning.

—The Sodality dramatic club will present Time and the Hour Monday night, at their hall on Washington street. —A petition for bankruptcy has been filed in the United States court by James O. Wood, of Trenton, Gibson county. —The county court begins its April term Monday. The most important business to be attended to will be the appointment of as-

-Prof. Mueller gives a grand soirce dan-sante to-night in his new hall, corner of Sec-ond and Madison streets. The attendance will be large. -John Brady, warden of President's Is-

land workhouse, yesterday recaptured an escaped colored convict, named Mason Lewis, on Second street, near Beale. -Deputy-Constable Pryde on Tuesday arrested a colored preacher, named William Sterling, for attempting to outrage his step-daughter. The accused was released on bail, but having been indicted by the grand jury, fled the city.

-W W Cole's great circus and rie exhibit in this city next Monday and An Aged Negro Killed by a Member of l'uesday. The circus has been entirely reorranized and magnificently equipped for the nsuing season. The menagerie will be ound one of the most complete that ever visited Memphis.

—A concert for the benefit of the German-American college, of this city, will be given at the German-Protestant church, Third treet, Sunday night. The occasion will be interesting and entertaining. Professors Per-ring, Levy, Schultze, Mr. Legler and Mr. Wilkins, will take part in this concert. -In the criminal court, yesterday, Lewis Cooper, colored was convicted of larceny from the perso and sentenced to ten years imprisonment in the penitentiary. Lou Banks was convicted of larceny and sentenced to

PERSONAL.

President's Island for six months. John Grundy was fined ten dollars for carrying

MR. JULES ROZIER, of St. Louis, is in the Mr. Chas. Wortham and bride, nee Miss Evans, of Friars Point, Mississippi, are in

MR. W. J. L. HOLLAND, of the Holly Springs (Miss.) Reporter, is visiting the city in the interest of his excellent and popular

Mr. W. IVIE WESTBROOK, of the Brownsville Bee, is visiting the city. His journal is a good advertising medium for the business men of Memphis. SENATORS I. M. HILL and H. G. Smith,

and Representatives Thomas C. Lowe, W.W. Coleman, George B. Peters and W. A. Col-lier have returned from Nashville. COTTON EXCHANGE visitors yesterday were:
James Nichols, Hartford, Connecticut; W. J.
Nisbet, Evansville, Indiana; J. Sugarman,
Pride's Point; H. French, Carson; Ch. Johnson, New York; S. Hyman, and S. Hyman,
jr., Bolivar county, Mississippi; Max Fravienthal, Conway, Arkansas; J. Jacob, Mississippi; Jas. Osborn, Lagrange, Mississippi;
H. T. Coffee, O. K., Mississippi; M. G. Hall,
Courtland, Mississippi; J. H. M'Daniel, Forrest City, Arkansas.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Theater. The large and intelligent audience at the Memphis Theater last night was a merited compliment to the talent of Mr. John E. compliment to the talent of Mr. John E. Owens and his excellent stock company. The audience was such as Mr. Owens could delight and amuse. And this he did last night with characteristic effect as "Perkyn Middlewick" in Our Boys. The piece was acceptable enough, and hereafter will find sufficient

To enable the pulmonic syrup to do this, popularity in Memphis to justify its repeti-tion by Mr. Owens. It is a three act comedy, presenting ludicrous yet rather faithful glimpses into the eccentric features of Engish society. Two youths of the same neighother the son of a retired grocer, being sent abroad to complete their education, the former degenerates into a snob, but the latter becomes an accomplished gentleman. Upon returning home the boys express their intenreturning home the boys express their intention to marry, but being opposed by their fathers they run away and go to London, where they live obscurely and endeavor to make a living by authorship. They are finally discovered and pardoned. The play is humorous in the extreme, presenting a value of the patient will surely get well if care is taken to prevent fresh cold.

All who wish to consult Dr. Schenck, either personally or by letter, can do so at his principal office, corner of Sixth and Arch streets. iety of features that are amusing and affording Mr. Owens scope for the display of his talent. The entire piece was well sustained, the audience testifying delight and pleasure by frequent laughter and applause. To-night *The Rivals* will be presented. Of course there will be a crowded house.

LAW REPORTS.

Criminal Court-Logwood, Judge. The following cases are for trial to-day No. 731, Martin Crafton; 437, A. F. C. Cook 8, L. Rosenstein; 434, Hans Margerum; 784 Lewis and Lula Hall; 695, Louis Brown; 740, Gus Gammon; 753, Wm. Schoolfield; 783, Lizzie Smith; 579, Robert Cox; 369, Ellen Dunlap; 50, Harry Kelly; 562, Preston Jones; 565, Chris Geis and John Perrotti; 606, — Johnson; 610, Wm. Goldstein; 619, S. F.

Circuit Court-Reiskell, Judge. sissippi and Tennessee railroad; 4488, Hill vs Swingley; 4948, Goodyear vs. Hills, et al; 4414, House vs. Gillham; 4854, Walsh vs. The attorney in possession of papers in case No. 4832, Taylor, Cleveland & Co. vs Missis-sippi Valley insurance company, is requested to return them to the clerk. Members of the ar are requested to give the clerk the numers of the cases they wish to try at this term. whether continued or dropped from the cal-

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SHOT IN THE REAR.

J. J. Murphy Compliments Murty Don ohue with a Bullet-No Harm Intended, and but Little Damage Committed.

About eleven o'clock last night J. J. Mur-hy shot Murty Donohue in the fleshy part of he posterior extremity. The facts attend ing the shooting show that it was done under the impulse of the moment and while Mur-phy was intoxicated. Yesterday after-noon Murphy took several drinks and visited the grocery of Donohue, on Front street, opposite the county jail. He wanted to drink more, but Donohue refused to let him have any liquor. Murphy became noisy and flourished a pistol, which Donohue took from him and then conducted the inoxicated man to his house on Front street near Concord. In a short while Murphy re turned to the grocery, having a pistol on his person and demanding liquor. Donohue again took the pistol from Murphy,

for the second time carried and for the second time carried him home. About eleven o'clock last night Murphy made a third visit to the grocery, and Donohue, as before, deprived him of a pistol and tried to get him to go home. Murphy refused to go, and having another pistol which Donohue had not discovered, began to fire. Murphy fired five shots and then went home, where he locked himself up, and was not disturbed by the pohimself up and was not disturbed by the po-lice. One of the bullets struck Donohue in the fleshy part of the posterior, and produced a painful but not a serious wound. At the time of the shooting Murphy was so much under the influence of

liquor that he could not recognize friend or foe. Donohue does not wish to prosecute Murphy, who is his friend, and doubtless regrets the affair. Murphy was formerly a deputy-sheriff, and is the man who captured the escaped horse-thief White, in Arkansas, and brought him back to this city. White, by the artifice of his wife, subsequently got out of jail here, and shortly thereafter was killed by a sheriff and posse in Mudison or son county.

AN ASSASSIN'S CONFESSION

Fom Harris, Colored, Admits that he Killed Mead-How it was Done and the Cause of the Fatal Assault.

Yesterday the grand jury returned a true bill against the negro Tom Harris, who, as stated in yesterday's APPEAL, had been ar-rested upon the charge of killing Mr. T. W. rested upon the charge of killing Mr. T. W. Mead at the corner of Second and Beale streets, Sunday night. Harris yesterday admitted his guilt, and also stated the cause and circumstances of the homicide. According to his statement, he met the two men, Billy Montgomery and T. W. Mead, on Second street, and had a difficulty with them. Montgomery drew a pocket-knife, with which he attempted to cut Harris, but the latter kept out of his reach and ran down Beale kept out of his reach and ran down Beale street. He procured a brickbat, and return-ing to the corner of Beale and Second streets, saw Montgomery and Mead. He approached for the purpose of striking Montgomery, at whom he hurled the brickbat. Montgomery being intoxicated, stumbled against the street-car track and fell. The brickbat missed Montgomery, but struck Mead in the forehead and crushed his skull, the result being the death of the latter person in a very few minutes. Harris says that he had no defew minutes. Harris says that he had no de-sire to strike Mead, but wanted to hit Mont-gomery because the latter attacked him with a knife. The negro Wm. Bowling, arrested as an accomplice of Harris, was yesterday

ANOTHER MURDER.

his Own Race in Tipton County-The Criminal Escapes.

The following letter, received yesterday, ex-

COVINGTON, TENN., March 27, 1877. P. R. Athy, Chief of Police, Memphis: There was a foul and atrocious murder nmitted yesterday in this county, five miles south of this place, by one Edward Stevens, colored, upon the person of Harry Winn, colored, aged seventy-five years. Ed Stevens is about thirty years of age, of a brown copper olor, and weighs about one hundred and seventy-five pounds. He is bow-legged, with a scar on one of his cheeks, perhaps under the eye. He is regarded by those who know him to be a bad and desperate negro, and after the murder, which was done with a double-barreled shotgun, said that he would never be taken alive. Look out for him, as he may attempt to go to Arkansas or Missis-G. R. SHELTON, Mayor of Covington.

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Calendar: 4004, Hartley vs Happek, et ux; 4819, Green vs Oliver; 4399, Somers vs Mis-Union street. Нельти, economy and gastronomic pleas Swingley; 4948, Goodyear vs. Hills, et al; tal; differential House vs. Gillham; 4854, Walsh vs. Gireenlaw; 4919, Walsh vs. City of Memphis. The attorney in possession of papers in case lev's yeast powder. Absolute full weight, Sailing from New York as follows: great strength and purity of material, and

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THE RECEIVERSHIP.

What Mayor Flippin Thinks of All the Recent Legislation for the Benefit and Relief of the City-What He is Willing to Do.

If the Mandamuses Increase to the Amount Specified in the Receiver Bill, a Receiver we will Have -Back Taxes and Col-

The recent bill of the legislature, providing for the appointment of a receiver for the city, still continues to agitate the public mind The bill abolishes the office of mayor and general council, but leaves all the other of-ices intact. The act will not take effect until eight hundred and fifty thousand dol ars issue, and there is no certainty then this will be done. Mayor Flippin was esterday interviewed upon the subject of he receiver's bill becoming a practical law and in reference to the two bills respecting

taxes which were introduced at his instance and passed by the legislature. The inter-view with Mayor Flippin is as follows: Question.—When do you think the receiver's bill will go into effect?

Answer—That depends altogether upon the issuance of additional mandamus to the mount of fifty thousand dollars.

Ques.—Will the creditors of the city apply or this mandamus, so as to put the law in

Ans:—Whether or not the creditors will apply for this amount of mandamus, I do not know. I do not think, however, that the law ould go into effect until forty days from the late of its passage. Ques.—How do you feel upon the subject? Ans.—The city is paying me four thousand

ollars per annum as mayor, but if the good dollars per annum as mayor, but if the good of the community can be secured by this bill, I say put the city into the hands of a receiver under this law. My office shall not stand in the way of the city's good. Rather than have an overwhelming amount of mandamus, I say let the city have a receiver. I am ready to give up my office when the conditions of the bill are complied with. I am willing to discharge the duties of the office until it is also listed and favor its abolishment if there. solished, and favor its abolishment if thereby the good of the city is subserved.

Ques.—Have you any intimation that there will soon be applications for the amount of andamuses necessary to carry the law into

Ans.-I have no intimation as to this though creditors, who are citizens of Memphis, hold claims to the amount of fifty thousand dollars, and in fact largely in excess of the required sum. One gentleman informs fine that he controls claims amountng to eighteen thousand dollars, upon which writs of mandamus can be obtained by aplication to the courts. Ques .- Are these claims in the nature or

orm of judgments?
Ans.—The amount of eighteen thousand ollars alluded to is in judgments, but the est is not. Ques .- Is it necessary that the claims be in he form of judgments in order to obtain a nandamus thereon?

Ans.-In the State courts it is not neces ary for a creditor of the city to have judg ments or judgment in order to secure a man-damus. In the United States courts, however, a judgment is a necessary priority to ance of a writ of mandamus Ques .- Must these writs of mandar amount of fifty thousand dollars, as specified in the bill, be alternative or compu in order to carry the act into practical effect? Ans.—Alternative mandamus to the mount of fifty thousand dollars would seure the application of the law as designed y the receiver's bill.

Ques.—Should this bill go into effect, what
ffect would it have upon the collection of city

Ans.—In my opinion the practical effect on his law will not delay, but more likely facilirate, the collection of city taxes, as it will not interfere with the functions of the tax-col-lector. The Nicolson pavement scrip, the numagement of which has been a source of difficulty with the city, is recognized in the providing for the appointment of a receiver. Ques.—What is there in the two bills relaive to the collection of city taxes and tax ales which you had introduced in the legisature, and which have become laws? Ans.-Two laws were passed upon this sub ect. One of these laws has reference to the sollection of city taxes. It provides that bereafter, if the compromise of the debt of cities having over thirty-five thousand inhabtants be effected, all taxes are to be collected in cash or in recognized compromise coupons and not in ledger balances. This law wil rove beneficial to Memphis, for by collecting axes in ledger balances it costs the city of Memphis one hundred thousand dollar early. The other law relates to the sale of property for unpaid city taxes. Under the

chaser the right to a writ of possession at once. This law will also have a beneficial effect. For instance, business houses, on which taxes are due, cannot be rented to tenants until the taxes are paid, for any one taking the property is liable to be ousted by the party purchasing at the tax sale. Tenants will not rent property on which taxes are due until the same be paid, for the above named reaon. The law will have a tendency at least o facilitate the collection of taxes due on all mantable property. Ques.—What amount of back taxes is due

he city? Ans.—Over two million of dollars. The amount of coupons with interest due upor nem is about seven hundred thousand dol lars; the amount of pavement debt is nearly one million one hundred thousand dollars; the amount of sundry indebtedness is about three hundred and eighteen thousand dol-lars, with interest to be added; the amount of past-due bonds is eighty-nine thousand lars. The total debt due for which taxes were levied last year amounts to two million one hundred and forty-five thousand dollars, to which interest is to be added.

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AN ACT to be entitled an act to amend all laws for the assessment of property.

SECTION 1: Be if enocled by the General Assembly of the State of Tennesse. That the Quarterly County Court of each county in this State shall, at the April term of 1877, and at said term every year thereafter, elect an intelligent and prudent person for each civil district of said county, and in any city or town where there are warris, one for each ward, being a freeholder and citizen thereof, whose duty it shall be to assess, list and return, as herein provided, for taxallon, all the real and personal property and polls in his said district not exempt from taxation; and said assessor, before entering upon the duffes of his office, shall take and subscribe before the clerk of said court, and file with him, an oath, honestly, faithfully, impartially and fearlessly, to assess, value, list and return, all real and personal property and polls in his district not exempt by law from taxation; and he shall visit in person each and every tract or parcel of land assessed and valued by BY AUTHORITY,

every tract or parcer of mind assessed an him.

Sec. 2. Be it further snavted. That said assessors shall assess real estate in the manner following: They shall prepare a complete list of all taxable real estate in their respective districts or wards, giving the name of each owner in alphabetical order, and setting out the number of across of each tract and the assessed value thereof, giving, if the same can be done, the surveyor's district, range, township and section, civil district, and if this cannot be done, then such mode of description shall be adopted as hen such mode of description shall be adopted a then such mode of description shall be adopted as will identify the property and its location by giving the lands by which the tract is bounded; and if the said real estate be in a town, the present number of the lot, and the number of front feet and the depth thereof, and the assessed value of each tract and lot, and shall also assess and list the personal property and polls liable to be taxed.

Sec. 3. Be it further exacted. That in making the assessment, all property shall be assessed at its cash market value, and upon the principle laid down in sections 565 and 546 of the Code, and to the person who is the owner, or the reputed owner, on the first who is the owner, or the reputed owner, on the first day of April of the year of the assessment; and sale taxes shall be due and payable on the first Monday

taxes shall be due and payable on the first Monday of October of the year for which he taxes were assessed.

Sec. 4. Be it further enacted, That the assessors shall complete their assessments on or before the first Monday in June of each year, and on that day shall meet at the countiouse of their respective counties, and shall organize as a Board of Equalization, and when organized shall make such examinations, comparisons, corrections and alterations as may be necessary to produce a fair and just equalization of the assessments in the several districts and wards in said county.

Sec. 5. Be it further enacted, That if any person shall conceive himself aggrieved by any assessment he shall present the matter to said Board by petition or otherwise, and if it shall appear to a majority of said Board that the assessment complained of is erroneous, improper or unequal, when taken in connection with other assessments in the same district, the proper correction shall be made; and having completed said equalization, the assessors shall sign and return their respective lists to the Clerk of the County Court on or before the fifteenth day of June of each year; Provided, the Quarterly Court shall have authority to hear and determine applications in regard to alleged erroneous assessments after the assessors shall have made their returns to said clerk. Sec. 6. Be it further enacted, That the assessment hus made shall be the only assessment of property and polls for any purpose of taxation in any county or part thereof, whether for State, county, school, railroad or municipal purposes; and no assessment huns, other than common blank-books, shall be used in making the assessment.

Sec. 7. Be it further enacted, That the Clerk of the County Court shall, from the lists returned by the assessors, annua ly prepare a collection book as provided in sections 588 and 580 of the Code, showing the amount of tax due from each taxpayer to the state, county, schools, railroads, and municipalities, in separate columns, which shall exhibit made and delivered by any county trustee to any constable or sheriff of his county for collection, shall in like manner set out separately each item of taxation for the information of the taxpayers; and all amounts levied respectively for the purpose of paying the interest or the principal of any State, county, municipal or railroad bonds, shall be placed in a separate column, and shall deliver said books to the trustee by the first day of October of each year. And the clerk shall also make out and certify to the comptroller an aggregate statement of the assessed valuation of the read and personal property of each district separately, and of the whole, together with the taxes due the State, and the poll-tax due, and he shall is reward the same by mail to the comptroller on or before the lifteenth day of November of each rear; and said clerk shall likewise certify to the ludge or chairman of the county count the amount of taxes due the county, and also to any mayor of the municipality the amount due the municipality, and to each the amount of taxes separately.

Sec. S. Be il further enacled, That at the April term, annually, of the County court, and entered upon the minutes thereof, as now declared by law; and the cities and incorporated towns shall certify the rate of taxation ievied by them to the Clerk of the County Court by the liftenth day of July of each pear.

Sec. D. Be il further enacled, That each assessor

equiring it.
Passed March 9, 1877.
EDWIN T. TALIAFERRO. EDWIN T. TALIAFERRO,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

H. M. M'ADOO,
Speaker of the Senate.
Passed by the House, the Governor's veto notwithstanding.
E. B. WADE,
Frincipal Clerk of the House of Representatives.
Passed by the Senate, the Governor's veto notwithstanding.
JOHN E. HELMS,
Clerk of the Senate,
I, Chas. N. Gibbs, Secretary of State, certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of an act of the Fortieth General Assembly of Tennessee, on file in my office.
CHAS. N. GIBBS, Secretary of State.

AN ACT giving the Chancellors of the State concurrent jurisdiction with the Circuit Court Judges 1 granting writs of certiorari and supercedeas removing causes from Justices Courts to the Circuit Courts, Sections 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Transsee, That from and after the passage of this act, the Chancellors of this State shall have concurrent jurisdiction with the Judges of the Circuit Coarts of this State granting writs of certificari and supercedeas in removing causes from Justices Courts to the Circuit Courts.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That this act take effect from and after its passage, the public welfar a requiring it.

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Passed March 20, 1877.

EDWIN T. TALIAFERRO,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
HUGH M. M'ADOO,
Approved March 22, 1877.

JAMES D. FORTER, Governor.

I, Chas N. Gibbs, Secretary of State, certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of an act of the Forticth General Assembly of Teunessee, on file in my office, CHAS. N. GIBBS, Secretary of State.

AN ACT to change the county line between the counties of Lawrence and Wayne.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, That the county line between the counties of Lawrence and Wayne be so changed as to include the residence of N. F. Morrow, and all the farm upon which he now resides, in the county of Lawrence; provided, that nothing in this act shall be so construed as to reduce Wayne county below its constitutional limit, nor bring the line thus designated nearer the courthouse of Wayne county than eleven miles.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That this act take effect from and after its passage, the public welfers requiring it.

Passed March 20, 1877.

EDWIN T. TALIAFERRO.

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

HUGH M. M'ADOO.

Speaker of the Senate.

Approved March 22, 1877.

JAMES D. PORTER, Governor.

LONG N. Grups. Secretary of State, certify the I. CHAS. N. GIBBS. Berchtary of State, certify the coregoing to be a correct copy of an act of the Fottleth General Assembly of Tennessee, on file in my office.

CHAS. N. GIBBS. Secretary of State.

AN ACT to amend an act passed June 11, 1870, entitled "An Act to regulate the elective franchise in accordance with article 4, section 6, of the Constitution of the State."

SECTION 1. Be it enactes by the General Assembly of the State of Tennessee, That section 4 of an act passed June 11, 1870, entitled "An Act to regulate the elective franchise," be so amended as to allow candidates for county and State officers, or for congress, to vote in any ward or district, in their county. gress, to vote in any ward or district, in their counts Passed March 20, 1877.

EDWIN T. TALIAFERRO,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
HUGH M. M'ADOO,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved March 22, 1877.

JAMES D. PORTER, Gavernor.

I. Chas. N. Gibbs, Secretary of State, certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of an act of the Fortieth General Assembly of Tennessee, on file in my office.

CHAS. N. Gibbs, Secretary of State. AN ACT to prevent unjust discriminations against

terminus to the other of the same road as orig-constructed and provided, that railway comp-may make standing contracts with coal, minim manufacturing companies, or persons, for sy-rates of freight not to be controlled by this act. Sec. 2. Be if further enacted. That no ra-company shall charge more than the maxi-amount for freights allowed by its charter, nor-aby railway company unjustly discriminate ag-the way-freights of any person or locality or terminus to the other of the same road as origin any rallway company unjustly discriminate against the way-freights of any person or locality on the same road, or unjustly classify freights, or unjustly discriminate against the different classes of freights, chipped over its road; nor shall any railway company unjustly charge extortionate rates of freight for the transportation of way freights over its road.

Sec. 3. Be it further macket, That every railway company shall keep a plain, intelligible schedule of freight rates, and freight classifications, from all points on its road, printed and posted up in a consplcuous place, accessible to the public, at every depot on the road.

Sec. 4. Be it further concled, That any railroad company that shall be guilty of a violation of the provisions of this act, shall be liable to the injured party in the sum of five hundred dollars, which may be sued for and recovered in any of the courts of this State having jurisdiction of the subject matter.

Passed March 23, 1877.

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EDWIN T. TALIAFERRO.

Speaker of the House of Representative

H. M. M'ADOO,

Speaker of the Sena H. M. M'ADOO,
Speaker of the Senate.

Approved March 26, 1877.

JAMES D. PORTER, Governor.

I. Chas. N. Gibbs, Secretary of State, certify the foregoing to be a correct copy of an act of the Fortieth General Assembly of Tennessee, on file in my office.

CHAS. N. GIBBS, Secretary of State.

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